

## Weekly Dose

### Matching for Wide Columns

- If the columns are too wide to fit side by side across the width of the page, change the columns to list format with each list beginning in cell 1.
- Treat column headings that precede each list as cell-5 headings. When there are no print headings, insert a heading, enclosed in transcriber's note indicators, using terms suggested in the directions.
- Place all columns on the same braille page whenever possible.
- Do not divide a list between braille pages.

#### EXAMPLE

Match each name to the correct definition by using the letter to show your answer next to the name that matches.

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| Zebra    | a. a heavy plant-eating mammal with a prehensile trunk, long curved ivory tusks, and ears, native to Africa and southern Asia. |
| Elephant | b. a large tawny-colored cat that lives in prides, found in Africa and northwestern India.                                     |
| Lion     | c. an African wild horse with black-and-white stripes and an erect mane.   |

**Teaching point:** In the example on the next page, transcriber notes are used around the cell-5 headings. This is done because you are adding in your own notes that are not shown in print.

Figure 1: A 2D grid of 10x10 cells, each containing a 3x3 sub-grid of dots. The dots are arranged in a pattern that resembles a binary representation of the number 10. The top row of dots in each cell is 1010101010, and the bottom row is 0101010101. The middle row of dots is 0101010101. The dots are arranged in a pattern that resembles a binary representation of the number 10.

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